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For: METHOD FOR DOWN-REGULATING  
OSTEOPROTEGERIN LIGAND ACTIVITY

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated June 27, 2007, the period for response having been extended for one (1) month, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on **page 2** of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on **page 6** of this paper.